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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	Examiner: K.C. Carlson
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C.F. Barbas, III)	Group Art Unit: 1636
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Serial No.: 09/807,665)	Docket No.: 8098-005-US-1
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Filed: June 28, 2001)	Date Mailed: July 11, 2005
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For: ZINC FINGER BINDING DOMAINS))	
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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND
INTERFERENCES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.191(a)

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals the final rejection, dated March 9, 2005, of all pending claims that have been twice rejected in the above-identified patent application to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

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In the final Office Action of March 9, 2005, claim 1 had been rejected. Claims 22-37 were stated as being withdrawn from prosecution. New claims 38-50 had been added by the Response to Final Office Action mailed June 3, 2005.

✓ The period for response to the final Office Action is hereby extended for one month, until July 11, 2005, by the simultaneous filing of a one-month Request for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and payment of the appropriate fee. Because July 9, 2005 is a Saturday, the period for response is extended until July 11, 2005 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.7(a).

This Notice of Appeal is conditional on the effect of the Response to Final Office Action mailed June 3, 2005. Should an Office Action have been issued that removes the finality of the above-identified Office Action dated March 9, 2005 in response to the Response to Final Office Action mailed June 3, 2005, this Notice of Appeal should be withdrawn. However, if an Advisory Action is issued that restates the finality of the above-identified Office Action dated March 9, 2005, this Notice of Appeal should be given effect.


Applicant reserves the right to petition to the Director under 37 C.F.R. § 1.127 in the event that the amendments presented as part of the Response to Final Office Action mailed June 3, 2005 are not entered, in whole or in part.

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Please charge the required fee for the filing of this Notice of Appeal,
\$330.00 for large entity, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b), to Deposit Account No. 502235.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: July 11, 2005


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